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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Attached herewith are: 1) Transmittal Form, 2) Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) and duplicate copy thereof, and 3) Certificate of Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8.

In response to the Office Action of June 29, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.